



Maine Department of Transportation
Direct Hire Vacancy Announcement
Ferry Captain

Bulletin 13-17

CODE: 8473

RANGE: 26

SALARY: \$20.82 – \$28.50 hourly

SEARCH OPENED: March 13, 2013

CONTACT: Lisa McGrotty

CLOSING DATE: March 27, 2013; 4:30 p.m.

TELEPHONE: (207) 624-3070

POSITION TYPE: Permanent Intermittent

LOCATION: Rockland

POSITION #: 02530-0779

BUREAU/DIVISION: Ferry Service/Multimodal Operations/Bureau of Maintenance & Operations

JOB DESCRIPTION: The individual filling this position serves aboard all Maine State Ferries as assigned by the Port Captain, in the absence of the regularly assigned ferry captains. Duties of the position include, but are not limited to, the following: Care & safe operation of the vessel and safety of crew and passengers; direct supervision of two (2) able seaman assigned to the crew, direct supervision of the ordinary seaman assigned to the crew, direct supervision of the engineer assigned to the crew; full knowledge of all applicable Federal, State and local laws & rules; full knowledge of policies regarding operation of ferry vessel; additional duty is to ensure compliance with Maritime Transportation Security Act and to serve as Vessel Security Officer (VSO). Applicant must possess a valid Masters License of at least 500 gross tons with a valid radar observer's endorsement, and a TWIC (Transportation Workers Identification Credential). The applicant selected for hire must submit to and pass pre-employment drug screening as outlined in 49CFR Part 40. Applicant must be physically capable of performing all duties of Ferry Captain and, at the Department's discretion, submit to and pass a pre-employment physical.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- Experience as a captain on a vessel operating on ocean or coastal routes, a U.S. Coast Guard license as Master of at least 500 gross tons, and a TWIC (Transportation Workers Identification Credential).
- The applicant selected for hire must submit to and pass pre-employment drug screening as outlined in 49CFR Part 40.
- Must provide and wear safety boots while in work status, which meets the ANSI standard and which are at least six (6) inches in height

SELECTION PROCESS: Applicants must forward a letter of interest, a Direct Hire application and copies of post-secondary transcripts, licensing/registration/certifications, etc. to: MaineDOT, Attn: Lisa McGrotty, 16 SHS, Augusta, ME 04333-0016, by Wednesday, March 27, 2013; 4:30 p.m. Internal transfers (those already in the above classification for MaineDOT) who are interested in an interview may contact Lisa McGrotty by 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 27, 2013; 4:30 p.m. to be interviewed along with certified candidates. Specific questions relating to this position can be directed to Dan McNichol at (207) 596-5423. Applications are available by calling (207) 624-3050 and are also on the MaineDOT website: www.maine.gov/mdot.

PLEASE NOTE: AN EMPLOYEE WHO TRANSFERS TO A POSITION IN THE PRO/TECH, SUPERVISORY, OR ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES BARGAINING UNITS OF MSEA MUST REMAIN IN THAT POSITION A MINIMUM OF SIX (6) MONTHS BEFORE HE/SHE IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR ANOTHER TRANSFER. THIS REQUIREMENT DOES NOT APPLY TO SEASONAL EMPLOYEES.

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